

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A display apparatus comprising:
 - a plurality of lower electrodes patterned on a substrate in pixels;
 - an auxiliary wiring disposed between adjacent lower electrodes at the same level as said lower electrodes and insulated from said lower electrodes;
 - an insulating film formed on said substrate, said insulating film having pixel openings for exposing central portions of said lower electrodes and connection holes reaching said auxiliary wiring;
 - an organic layer provided in each pixel covering bottom portions of said pixel openings, said organic layer in each pixel including a portion that overlaps at least a portion of the organic layer in an adjacent pixel of said pixels; and
 - an upper electrode covering said organic layer and connected to said auxiliary wiring through one of said connection holes in each pixel.
2. (original) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein
 - said substrate comprises an inter-layer insulating film covering a thin film transistor substrate provided with thin film transistors for driving said pixels, and
 - each of said lower electrodes is connected to each of said thin film transistors through a connection hole formed in said inter-layer insulating film.
3. (previously presented) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 2, wherein said organic layer has end portions partly overlapping themselves and said upper electrode covers said organic layer and is connected to said auxiliary wiring through said connection holes between portions of said organic layer.
4. (original) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 3, wherein said lower electrodes have a three-layer structure.

5. (original) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 4, wherein said lower electrodes each comprise a reflective metallic material layer sandwiched between conductive oxide material layers.

6. (original) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein said upper electrode is light-transmitting.

7. (original) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 4, wherein said lower electrodes are formed of a light-reflective material.

8. (withdrawn) A method of manufacturing a display apparatus, comprising the steps of:

 patterning a conductive film formed on a substrate so as thereby to form a plurality of lower electrodes corresponding respectively to pixels and an auxiliary wiring insulated from said lower electrodes,

 forming on said substrate an insulating film provided with pixel openings for exposing central portions of said lower electrodes and with connection holes reaching said auxiliary wiring,

 patterningly forming an organic layer in the state of covering bottom portions of said pixel openings and having end portions partly overlapping on each other between the adjacent pixels, and

 forming an upper electrode covering said organic layer and connected to said auxiliary wiring through said connection holes between said organic layers.

9. (withdrawn) A method of manufacturing a display apparatus as set forth in claim 8, wherein

 in the step of patterningly forming said organic layer, said organic layer is patterned in the state of covering said bottom portions of said pixel openings and having said end portions partly overlapping on each other between the adjacent pixels, and

in the step of forming said upper electrode, said upper electrode is so formed as to cover said organic layer and to be connected to said auxiliary wiring through said connection holes between said organic layers.

10. (withdrawn) A method of manufacturing a display apparatus as set forth in claim 9, wherein in the step of paterningly forming said organic layer, vapor deposition using a mask is conducted.

11. (new) A display apparatus as set forth in claim 1, wherein said overlapping portion of the organic layer is positioned above the auxiliary wiring.